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**BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
MEETING MINUTES
Enforcement Committee
June 21, 2007
Life Chiropractic College West
25001 Industrial Blvd.
Hayward, California 94545**

Committee Members Present

Hugh Lubkin, D.C., Chair
Francesco Columbu, D.C.

Staff Present

Brian J. Stiger, Executive Officer
Marlene Valencia, Staff Services Analyst

Call to Order

Dr. Lubkin called the meeting to order at approximately 9:10 a.m.

Roll Call

Dr. Columbu called the roll. Both committee members were present.

Discussion on CCR 306.1 Task Force

Dr. Lubkin provided a brief overview of section 306.1 and stated that the Board has never implemented the regulation. The Board has received several inquiries from the public about the status of section 306.1. The committee has been asked to study and provide recommendations back to the full Board on whether to proceed with Quality Review Panels. The committee will work with Board staff, hold public hearings, and will take written comment on this subject.

Dr. Lubkin informed the public that the Board may establish a public task force to assist with this matter and invited the public to send a letter of interest if one wishes to be considered to participate.

Public Comment:

Dr. Charles Davis, D.C. President of International Chiropractors Association of California submitted and discussed a proposal to implementation on how section 306.1. Dr. Davis states the goals of implementation of section 306.1 are proper enforcement, decrease processing time and decrease costs. Dr. Davis states the implementation of section 306.1 is mandatory as stated in the regulation.

Dr. Lubkin asked Dr. Davis for clarification on his proposal to establish Quality Review Panels by region rather than by county as stated in the regulation.

Dr. Lubkin asked the Acting Executive Director to gather statistics on complaint information by county by the next committee meeting.

Cost Recovery Procedures

Mr. Stiger defined cost recovery and the process the board utilizes to collect costs. He mentioned that the Board has submitted documents to the Franchise Tax Board to initiate the Intercept program to assist with the collection of these funds.

Meeting Adjourned

Dr. Lubkin adjourned the meeting at approximately 9:30.